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| <b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>   |                                     |  | Attorney Docket<br>PA0334-CIP /<br>11269.31.CIP |                                      |      |                   |
| Application Serial Number:  | Filing Date:                        | Examiner:                                | Group Art Unit:                                 |                                      |      |                   |
| 09/929,247  | 8/13/2001                           | Paul M. Gurzo                            | 2881  |                                      |      |                   |
| Invention: LONG STROKE MOVER FOR A STAGE ASSEMBLY   |                                     |  |   |                                      |      |                   |
| <b>TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENT AND TRADEMARKS:</b><br>Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.   |                                     |  |   |                                      |      |                   |
| <b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>  |                                     |  |   |                                      |      |                   |
|   | CLAIMS REMAINING<br>AFTER AMENDMENT |  | HIGHEST NUMBER<br>PREVIOUSLY PAID<br>FOR        | NUMBER OF<br>EXTRA CLAIMS<br>PRESENT | RATE | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS  | 45                                  | MINUS                                    | 44  | 1                                    | \$18 | \$18              |
| INDEP. CLAIMS   | 7                                   | MINUS                                    | 6   | 1                                    | \$84 | \$84              |
| <p>— Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of January 24, 2003 to and through April 24, 2003, comprising of an extension of the shortened statutory period of:</p> <p>— one month (\$110)      — three months (\$930)</p> <p>— two months (\$410)      — four months (\$1,450)</p>   |                                     |  |   |                                      |      |                   |
| <b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>  |                                     |  |   |                                      |      | <b>\$102</b>      |
| <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1141, pertaining to 1) any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims; 2) any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Any additional extension of time required for the timely submission of this paper, the fees for which have not been previously paid, is hereby petitioned for and requested.</p> |                                     |  |   |                                      |      |                   |
| 7-11-03<br>Date   |                                     | S/G<br>Steven G. Roeder, Reg. No. 37,227 |   |                                      |      |                   |
| <p><b>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING:</b> I hereby certify that this correspondence and all correspondence identified as accompanying this correspondence is being transmitted via facsimile to the United States Patent Office, facsimile number 703-746-9310, on this the 11<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2003.</p> <p>S/G<br/>Steven G. Roeder, Reg. No. 37,227</p>   |                                     |  |   |                                      |      |                   |